NEW YORK, SATURDAY, APRIL 6, 1878.

by the Russians would prevent Admiral Hornby, from forcing a passage. Some Russian divisions are now echelonned on the road to Bujukdere, and a total force of about 30,000 troops collected within easy striking distance. But the road to be a superficient of the roa tween these and Bujukdere there are some Turkish brigades, which could probably hold the place until assistance arrived, if energet-ically employed and loyally commanded, in cooperation with the British; but they must in no be overwhelmed, for the Russians, even allowing for all deductions, should still muster at least 75,000 combatants in front of Constantinople. On the peninsula of Gallipoli, or the

warded to the part of the Turkish coast occupied by Russia.

One of the minor journals of Berlin to-day published an extra edition, saying that preparations are making for mobilizing the German army, and also containing other alarming statements. In the German Parliament, the Minister of War declared that the statements were absolutely untrue.

Despatches from Constantinople foreshadow the fall of Ahmed Vefik Pasha, President of the Council of Ministers and Minister of the Interior, and the reconstruction of the Ministry in a pro-Russian sonse.

The Russians are rapidly building a large and apparently permanent bridge over the Pruth at Sculeni.

Typhus is prevalent throughout Servia, and

acks and accumulating provisions at San Steno."

The North German Gazette says that although
he San Stefano treaty does not affect Germany's
atterests, the entrance of Russia into antagonim with other neighbors and friends of Gerinny cannot be a matter of indifference to her,
he negetiators of the treaty seem not to have
ept the interests of other powers sufficiently in
indifference to the treaty of the sufficient of the treaty by another war. The
rincipal obstacle to a settlement is Russia's
aving bound herself by the terms of the treaty,
oth England and Austria admit that great
langes are necessary in the East. It is therere to be hoped that in yiew of the agreement
Russia, Austria, and England on this main
int, the common desire for peace may ultiately gain the upper hand.
London, April 6.—The Post publishes the folwing in semi-official form: "There is no
add that our Government, while determined
vindicate every line of Lord Salisbury's deatch is not unwilling to take into consideration
was suggested by Vienna statesmen. To-day
to prospect is more peaceful, but the Governent should guard against a surprise at Conent should guard against a surprise at
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at 3,000 or 4,000 troops could be embarked be whours.

Is understood that the front Opposition in the House of Commons will not program any amendment on Monday to the address Queen in answer to the proclamation out the reserves. Sir Wilfred Lawson, inhalf of the Badicals, however, has reside offer a motion declaring the measure arranted and imprudent.

THE RUSSO-ROUMANIAN IMBROGLIO.

NDON, April 5.—The official despatches at the Russo-Roumanian imbroglio, publishing the Russo-Roumanian imbroglio, publishing morning, do not throw new light on eported disposition of the Roumanian Cable consent to the cession of Bessurabia to the Roumanian agents at dersburg and Vienna belong to the Naliparty, and oppose the cession of Bessarabe Cabinet would be unlikely to hold other patriotte language in communicating with But the fact is pointed to as significant M. Bratiano, the Roumanian Premier, a special mission to Vienna during Gentleff spresence there, and that during his use no sessions of the Chambers were insel to be held, probably with the purpose of enting irritating speeches and action on part of members toward Russia. In the of the suspicions thrown on the attitude vishes of Prince Charles of Roumania and attitude vishes of Prince Charles of Roumania and different pages of the Prince Charles of Roumania and different pages of the Prince Charles of Roumania and different pages of the Prince Charles of Roumania and different pages of the Prince Charles of Roumania and different pages of the Prince Charles of Roumania and different pages of the Prince Charles of Roumania and different pages of the pages of the prince Charles of Roumania and different pages of the pages of the pages of the pages of the page of the pages of the pa dence arrived in time to check an assault on the lext mill, and the suspicions thrown on the attitude and wishes of Prince Charles of Roumania and its Cabinet, Prince Charles of Roumania and its Cabinet, Prince Gortchakoffs undiplomatic anguage to the Roumanian agent at St. Petershurg may have been intended to help the Government to bring the country round to their riew. If the attitude of the Roumanian Government is real, not feigned, it is difficult to see now a runture can be avoided when Russia for any newsdealer.—Ada.

\*\*Colomargarine at Factory Prices.\*\*

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\*\*Irrkish Baits, 50 cents—corner Broome st. and Bowery (under Johnston's jewelry stoje). Open all days and Sundays. The pleasantest hot room, the largest plungs, and the best attention. Barbers always in attendance.—Ada.\*\*

THE CZAR'S ARMY IN TURKEY

\*\*\*REALY TWO HUNDRED THOUSAND SOLDIERS NOUTH OF THE BALKANS.\*\*

\*\*\*Exprise decoration of Bulgaria to Cover the Line of Communication—Hurrying up the Heaveryer Germany as a Mediator—La Turkey's Ministry to the Recentrated of London, April 5.—The military situation is beginning to attract attention. The Servian occupation of Bulgaria as far as Plevna is believed to be intended to cover the Russian line of communication and relieve the Russian line of the service of the reputation of the

Setting Fire to Thousands of Gallons of Pe-troleum-Explosion of Oil Tanks.

SLATINGTON, Pa., April 5 .- While train No. 49, which left Mauch Chunk at about 4:10 this more than the street was shown to the street of the state ing forty oil tanks and four freight cars, that left Mauch Chunk about ten minutes later, came speeding along at the rate of twenty miles an

plumber; Patsy Moynahan, owner of what was mostantinople despatch says; "The Brittonclad Devastation has arrived in the family of the family o tramp. He asked for aims. The light of other and better days reflected from his face and clothes. All gave him repellent glances.

"Gentlemen," said he," I've waiked all the way from Liberty, and am footsore and weary. I am sorely in need, and hope you will not requise me a few pennies. Believe me, gentlemen, I'll teil you a tale of woe that'll stir up your hearts, and tear—"

"Don't you do it," said Buckbee. "Take my advice and don't tell it. Write it, my boy, write it."

There was an outburst of merriment. The sad-eyed tramp began to move away. "Hold on," said Byrnes. "We're just going in to take glittle drink, and will invite you in if you think it'll do you any good."

"No," replied the tramp, sorrowfully shaking his head, "I don't think it will. I'm not ashamed to say that I like a glass of whiskey, but I need food more than drink. If you'll give me a quarter I can get a good dinner."

Campbell's heart was touched by the manner of the stranger. "You look hungry," said he. "Go right into Moynahan's and order what you want, and I'll pay for it."

A dubious smile broke over the careworn face. "They'l think I'm lying, and kick me out," was the reply.

"I'll make that all right," said the benevolent Campbell, turning to Moynahan. "Here, Patsy, you give the poor fellow what he wants and I'll foot the bill.

The sad-eyed tramp murmured his thanks and followed Moynahan into the dining salcon. He took his seat at a table, called for a napkin, ate for an hover and twenty minutes, and departed. The following is the bill:

"What he Got."

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The greek insurance in any be the first of the Grand Duke Nicholas; or it may be the intention to abandon the lines of land communication, and rely almost exclusively for the conveyance of reserves and supplies on marine transport over the Black sea in consequence of the attitude of the Roumanians. From the latter point of view it is very natural to infer that the Russians will do everything possible to Russians will do everything possible to the British fleet out of the British fleet on the California on the National Committee. Gorham.

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Secretary of the Senate and the member from as a significant fact that Col. Fraleigh's wife Secretary of the Senate and the member from California on the National Committee, was the first speaker of importance, and without committing himself fully and emohatically to a personal denunciation of Hayes, he suggested that it was wholly unwise for the party to handle as well that the combatants. Col. Fraileigh, when spoken to about it, said that she sided with the Thompson at the combatants. Col. Fraileigh, when spoken to about it, said that she sided with the Thompson and himself fully and emohatically to a personal denunciation of Hayes, he suggested that it was wholly unwise for the party to handle as many the shooting Mrs. Fraileigh, when spoken to about it, said that she sided with the Thompson at the combatants. Col. Fraileigh, when spoken to about it, said that she sided with the Thompson and Sea Shore Improvement Association, and Sea Shore Improvement at the combatants. Col. Fraicigh, when spoken to about it, said that she sided with the Thompsons, and hinted at some irregularities on her sons, and hinted at some irregularities on her part as a wife. On the Sunday evening following the shooting Mrs. Fraicigh, who was still in the Mrs. Fraicigh, who was still in the Thompson house, and who had refused to see her husband, began to pack up her ciothing, that he was uncompromisingly hostile to the Administration, and that the only hope of success lay in such radical opposition to the Southern policy Hayes, pursued as would convince the loyal people of the North that the great results of the war had not come to be idle matters to the party which won them. On financial questions there existed such differences of opinion in the party that he saw no way of reconciling them, and he proposed as a solution of the difficulty to formally turn over the subject to the Congressional districts for settlement there, each district electing a man of its own financial views and uniting only on the general principle, call it the bloody shirt or what you will, on which the party succeeded in 1872 and carried the great mass of the loyal North in 1876.

Mysterious Manager and with the to about it, said that she sided with the Thompsons, and hinted at some irregularities on her to about it, said that she sided with the Thompson huse, and who had refused to see shorting Mrs. Fraicigh, who was still in the Thompson house, and who had refused to see her husband, began to ack up her ciothing, the Thompson house, and the Thompson house, and the Thompson house, and who had refused to the Thompson house, and who had refused to the Thompson house, and who had refused to the Thompson house, and the Thompson house, and the proposed to the Thompson house, and the Thompson house, and the pointing the Thompson h morning, was stopping near this place to allow of the difficulty to formally turn over the sub-

The down passenger train reached here at 8 o'clock, transferred its baggage and pussengers over the bridge, there being atrain in waiting, for Philadelphia, below the wreck. The Lehigh valley trains are now running over the Lehigh and Susquehanna road. Arrangements are being, maie to erect a temporary bridge, which, it is thought, can be completed in forty-eight hours. All freight trains will be discontunued for the present.

A TRAMP'S DINNER.

How the Virtue of Judge Campbell's Good Brother was Rewarded.

A group of gentlemen stood in front of Cahill's saloon in Park row yesterday afternoon discussing the merits of the Mossett bell punch. Among them were John Byrnes, State Inspector of Gas Meters; John Buckbee, a well-known plumber; Patsy Moynahan, owner of what was formerly Overton's dining saloon; and Thomas, brother of Justice Timothy J. Campbell. Their

# STRUGGLING WITH IIS BIG DEBT.

Church, on Brooklyn Heights.

a movement is to be begun to solicit aid from

Declared Liable for Bank Debts to Double the Amount of their Stock,

John B. Thorn, Alderman from the Second Ward of Newark, resigned at the meeting of the Com-mon Council last night because he could not be an Alder man while a member of the paid Fire Department. He has been a fireman for forty years, and says he would rather be a freman than be shayor. He is a Democrat. Aiderman Lister of the Tenth Ward has also resigned.

was passed. The senate passed the foil to authorize cities of over 120,000 inhabitants to divide such cities into wards corresponding in number and boundaries to the Assembly districts in such cities. The bill to establish an Excise Committee in Jersey City was passed.

In executive session this afternoon the following nominations were received from the Governor and confirmed: Port Wardens—Hudson county, John Curtain: Camelen county, W. W. E. Scudder. Brigadier-General by brevet, for twenty-four years' meritorious services in the National Guard of New Jersey. Alfred J. Munn, Newark.

In the House the whole afternoon was spent in the consideration of the Incidental bill, and the allowances in the contested election cases of Salmon against Cooper, Marsh against Phillips, and Ruh against McDonell were cut down about one-half. The Senate to-night was equally engrossed in the pruning process, and struck out an item of \$500 for entertaining Old Salt and other visitors of the New York Legislature. A resolution was adopted extending the hour for sine die adournment from 2 o'clock until midnight, and a Committee of Conference was appointed in both Houses over the Incidental bill. The Republican members have determined not to offer a resolution of approval or thanks to Speaker Eagan, and it is said that several Democrats will ask to be excused from voting.

Running Away from School after Telling Fibs to their Parents.

Henry Johnson, one of the five New Jersey systemen arrested by the Richmond county authorities for dredging systems in Prince's bay, escaped from the

Brinkerhoff yesterday for Mayor.

Director McDonaid of the Hudson county Freeholders as had the report of the committee on the investigation of alleged irregularities at Snake Hill sent back for additional inquiry. He says that in several cases improposed has been furnished for the paupers and linances. The Sixth District Republican Convention of Jersey Lity has nominated Henry R. Vreeland and John H. Post for Freeholders, and John Meyer for Alderman, Dr. T. E. Morris for the Board of Education, Vin. B. Mason for Police Commissioner, and Simeon M. Ayres for Fire Commissioner, and Simeon M. Ayres for Fire Commissioner.

SELLING A RACE COURSE. THE MONMOUTH PARK TRACK PUT UP

AT AUCTION IN FREEHOLD. Purchased by Well-known Sporting Men-

Mortgages on It Foreclosed-The History of the Course-What is Said of the Sale. The Monmouth Park Race Course was sold at Freehold yesterday afternoon by the 314.45, including a mortgage of \$40,000 with ac-

The Monmouth Park Race Course was laid out in 1870, by John Chamberlin and John Methe property for \$2,000 and \$5,750. With interest and fees Dr. Bailey's claim amounted yesterday to \$47,534.45. On the property are also fourth, fifth, and sixth mortgages for \$5,000, \$9,000, and \$2,000, held respectively by John Chamberlin or some friend of his, the Grocers' Bank of this city, and by a small Trotting As-

# CRIPPLING A RAILROAD.

A Formidable Strike of Kansas and Texas Engineers and Firemen.

# Oregon's Greenback Ticket.

PORTLAND, April 5,—The Greenback State Convention nominated the following tecket yesterday: Governer, M. Wilkins, Congressman, Prof. J. F. Camp-bell, Secretary of State, W. A. Cules, State Treasurer, F. Sufferland, State Prince, D. W. Craig, Superintendent of Public Instruction, W. W. Parker,

# Fire on Long Island.

The barn, carriage house, and outbuildings of the estate of the late John Kellum, the architect, near tempote ad, L. L., were burned on Thursday night, with all their contents, including two valuable carriage horses.

# SPARKS FROM THE TELEGRAPH.

DOORKEEPER POLK'S SUCCESSOR.

WASHINGTON, April 5 .- The caucus of

The Democratic Caucus Nominating C. L. Field of Kentucky.

Democratic members of the House this evening nominated C. L. Field, formerly of Georgia and now living in Kentucky, as Doorkeeper. After the vote of yesterday in Polk's case, which as it stood was substantially a defeat of the Southern wing of the party, Southern Democrats have Sheriff of Monmouth county, N. J., for \$57.-Sheriff of Monmouth county, N. J., for \$57.-been emphatic in declaring that another South-erner, and a Confederate General at that must succeed Polk. Some Northern Democrats, and among them some prominent men, remembering the failure of two Southern Doorkeepers, felt that it would be better to choose a Northothers as they may see fit to associate with others as they may see fit to associate with futile bit of political conjuring this morning in futile bit of political conjuring this morning in nominating Gen. Shields was intended to take nominating Gen. Shields was intended to take belonging to Mr. Charles Hyde, President of belonging to Mr. Charles Hyde, President of Bennsylvania, and also Bride Davidson, on land purchased by them the first ballot in the caucus, which was as follows: Shields of Illinois, 20; McCoy of Mary-

## DEATH IN A BURNING BARN.

TWO HUMAN BODIES FOUND IN A HEAP OF ASHES AFTER A FIRE.

What Led to the Theory that a Murder Had Been Committed—The Burned Barn a Stop-ping Place for Tramps—Mr. Udahl's Story. The sky in the northeastern part of New Jersey was illuminated for miles around on Thursday night by the burning of an old barn in the township of Plainfield, Union county. the Oil City Bank of Pennsylvania, and also President of the City Bank of Plainfield. They returned to their homes, and half an hour later Thaddeus Doane, the Chief of the Plainfield Fire Department, was waited upon in the City Hotel by Charles Zuckswest, a member of Zephyr Hook and Ladder Company, and a young man named Conkling, who informed

him that in riding by the ruins of the fire they had stopped to look at it, and had discovered two human bodies lying among the ashes.

The Chief. Frank Coriell, and some others,

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CITY OF MEXICO, March 30,-Gen. Ogazon has resigned the portfolio of the War Department, and Gen. Manuel Gonzales has been appointed his successor. Señor Vallarte, Minister of Foreign Relations, is much amoyed at the Cabinet change, den Ogazon, favored

Thomas Gould of 106 Thompson street found his wife dead on the floor when he awoke yesterday morning. She had cut her throat three times with a race while learning over a pail. In her death struggle she upset the pail. She had shown great interest in the Restell suicide, reading and taking much about it. The physicians in the Coroner's office say that a spicide by unusual means, or a suicide of great neto-fiety, has often been followed by others by similar means.

England and the Papacy.

Rome, April 5.—It is said that England will raise no obstacles to the establishment of relations with the Vatican, but reserves the right to indicate the bases thereof. The Vatican has instructed the German Bishops to do nothing to prevulve negotiations for reestablishing relations between Berlin and the Vatican.